

FISCAL NOTE

HB 966 - SB 1203

March 16, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes veterans with a 30 percent or more service-connected disability to receive a free sport fishing and hunting license.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenues - \$267,300/Wildlife Resources Fund

**Other Fiscal Impact – Decrease Federal Funds –
\$74,250/Wildlife Resources Fund**

Assumptions:

- There are approximately 33,000 veterans in the state of Tennessee with a service-connected disability of 30% or more.
- Approximately 30% will receive a free hunting/fishing combo license. (9,900 @ \$27 = \$267,300)
- A decrease in federal funds received by the state. (9,900 @ \$7.50 = \$74,250)

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director